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## GREAT BIBLICAL DISCOVERY IN EGYPT.

One discovery follows fast on another in Egypt. Now, on the very heels of the discovery of Menander, we have what looks much like the recovery of a lost chapter from the Book of Nehemiah, at Assouan, for some extraordinary papyri has been found by excavators in Egypt which showed that the Jews had a temple there as well as in Jerusalem.

Previously some Jewish business fragments had been found which showed that the Jews in Egypt in Jeremiah's time worshipped Jehovah under the name of Yahu. But M. Clermont-Ganneau has given "Le Temps" an account of this new discovery, and the translation made by the German scholar, Dr. Sachau. The document is a copy of a petition sent by the Jews of Elephantine, an island at Assouan to the Persian Governor Bagohi (Bagasos of Josephus), in the seventeenth year of Darius, telling how, when Egypt was conquered by Cambyses, their Jewish temple was spared, while the Egyptian temples were destroyed. But during the absence of the Satrap of Egypt the worshippers of the god Khnum had persuaded the local Governor to give orders to have their temple destroyed, and during the three years since they had been in deep mourning.

"They had appealed in vain for help to the Jewish high priest Jehohanan, and had written to the sons of Sanballat at Samaria, and now they begged Bagohi to allow them to rebuild their temple, in which case they would be able to burn incense there, and would pray for him and send him a thousand talents of silver. This petition was granted. The special interest of this document lies in the fact that it shows that in Egypt, as well as in Jerusalem, the Jews had their temple and performed ritual services. Also Sanballat and Jehohanan are both Bible characters. Sanballat was the enemy of the Jews under Nehemiah, and Jehohanan is mentioned in Ezra x. 6 and Neh. xii. 23; while this seems to be the same Jehohanan who, according to Josephus, murdered his brother Jeshua.

We are able to give our readers an English translation of [part of] this remarkable letter, for which we are indebted to professor Driver, in the London "Guardian." Thus we have it accredited by three of the very best Oriental scholars of Germany, France, and England — Professor Sachau, M. Clermont-Ganneau and Professor Driver. It is as follows:

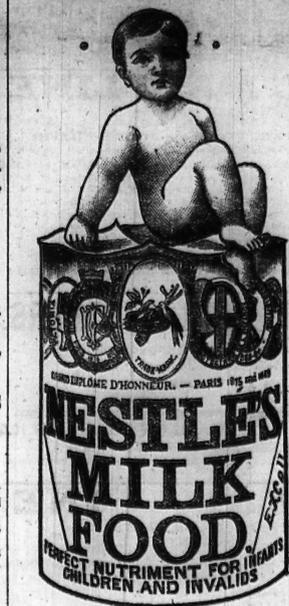
"To our lord Bagohi, Governor of Judah, thy servants, Yedoniah and his companions, the priests, in the fortress Yeb [Elephantine]:

"From the Tammuz day of the 14th year of King Darius to this day we have put on sackcloth and fasted; our wives are become like widows; we have not anointed ourselves with oil or drunk wine; neither from that day to this day of the 17th year of King Darius (408 B.C.) have meal-offerings frankincense, or burnt offerings been offered in this Temple. Now, therefore, thy servants, Yedoniah and his companions, and the Jews, all the citizens of Yeb, say thus: If it seem good to our lord, think upon this Temple that it may be built, because we are not permitted to build it; look upon the recipients of thy goodness and of thy mercy who are here in Egypt.

"May a letter be sent from thee to them concerning the Temple of the God Yahu that it may be built in the fortress Yeb, as it was built in former times. And we will offer meal-offerings and frankincense and burnt offerings upon the altar of the God Yahu in thy name. And we will pray for thee at all times, we and our wives and our children, and all the Jews who are here, if thou dost thus, until the Temple is built. And thou shalt have a portion before Yahu, the God of Heaven, from every one who offers to him burnt-offering and sacrifices, in value equivalent to . . . And so concerning the gold, concerning that we have sent we made known. We have also sent the matters in a letter in our name to Delaiah and Sheshbazzar, the sons of Sanballat, the Governor of Samaria. Arsam also has no knowledge of all this that has been done to us.

"The 20th of Marcheshvan [November], in the 17th year of King Darius. What is of very great interest in this almost biblical record is the fact that a splendid temple of Jehovah was in existence in Upper Egypt; shortly after the time of Jeremiah; that sacrifices were offered there as at Jerusalem, notwithstanding the prohibition, and that the name of Jehovah was in free use under the pronouncement Yahu.

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**DEATH.**

ANDERSON. At "Coiga House," Sligo, Ireland, Robert Anderson, (Poor Law Guardian, etc.) 16th December 1907, brother-in-law of Mr. Justice Neary, Provincial Magistrate of Manitoba and beloved uncle of C. W. Anderson-Neary, Alexandria, Egypt. Cape and Australian papers please.

**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**

The German training-ship "Stein" left this morning for Naples.

A New Year gift. The Delta Lodge, Tantah, have paid L. E. 2 to the Rudolph Home, Alexandria, for the poor.

The Alexandrian Press. Our former contemporary "Les Nouvelles" will be resuscitated on Saturday. We wish it a long and healthy life.

Standard Life Assurance Company. The new Cairo offices of this Company are now in the building of the Egyptian Estates Company, close to the Savoy Hotel.

Kasr-el-Nil Bridge. Kasr-el-Nil Bridge will be open (closed to road traffic) at 11.30 a.m. and closed (open to road traffic) at 1 p.m. to-day and to-morrow.

Cholera. Our Suez correspondent reports that three cholera patients from the French pilgrim steamer "Livernais" have been quarantined at Suez.

A. R. M. D. S. The inaugural concert of the Alexandria and Ramleh Amateur Musical and Dramatic Society will take place at the Savoy Palace Hotel at 9.30 to-morrow evening.

The Municipal Loan. The National Bank of Egypt announces that Coupon No. 12 of the City of Alexandria 4 per Cent. Loan, due January 1, 1908, will be paid on and after that date at 4 and 5, King William street, City.

The Book Club Alexandria. We are requested to inform the members that in future the library will be open three times a week and that there will be a slight modification in the hours of changing. Books can be exchanged on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 4 to 5.15 p.m.

Marionette Railway. The new service of trains on the Khedive's line, which came into operation yesterday, is a decided improvement. Now instead of the long train journey to Warden, the train starts from Bab el-Ghedid Station. The morning train leaves for Mariout at 11.30 o'clock and returns to Bab el-Ghedid at 5.30 p.m.

An Effect of the Crisis. Owing to the stoppage of building at Alexandria there has been a big fall in the price of the chief building materials. Lime and sand have fallen by 25 per cent. Mex stone, which used to cost nine dollars per mille, is now at five and a half dollars. Brick's have fallen from P.T. 120 to P.T. 80 per mille.

Casino San Stefano. The Concert given yesterday on the terrace of the Casino by the band of the Royal Ionian-killing Fusiliers was very successful. The aristocracy of Alexandria mustered in force and it is to be hoped that the management will continue to give military concerts every Sunday which would be a great attraction during the winter season.

Elections at Cairo. Sheikh Ali Yousof was elected member of the Legislative Council at the election held at the Cairo Governorat on Thursday morning, and four candidates were also elected to the General Assembly. These were Mohammed Pasha Hassan, Ibrahim Bey Ragie, Hassan Mohammed Abu Saïda, and Sheikh Abd-rahim Abd-rahman.

A Case of Loss Majesté. Mr. Apostopoulos, Editor of the Greek newspaper, "Boasforos," of Cairo, who has been in prison for some months on the charge of having been guilty of "Loss Majesté" towards the King of Greece, was acquitted on Friday last by the Hellenic Assize Court of Alexandria, in spite of the energetic pleading for the prosecution of Mr. Scoticida, the Consul General who acted as Crown Prosecutor.

The Map Exhibition. As previously announced, an exhibition of the maps of Egypt now being published by the Government will be held in the Geological Museum, Cairo. The Khedive will open the exhibition on January 9, after which it will be open to the public daily from 9 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. up to January 18 inclusive. Examples will be shown of instruments used in surveying; methods of controlling the accuracy of survey work; methods of reproducing maps and plans; methods of stiching maps for statistical and other purposes; topographical maps of different parts of Egypt. Admission will be free.

The Plague. The plague returns for the past year show an increase upon the figures of previous years, the cases which have been treated numbering 1,215 in 1907 as against 681 in 1906 and 265 in 1905. There are at present eleven cases under treatment, nineteen fresh cases appeared during the past week, and for that period twelve deaths and seven cures are recorded. The infected districts of the week ending the 31st December ult. were as follows: Alexandria 3, Damietta 1, Dairout 14, and Aghabgah 1. Yesterday's bulletin announces a new admission to hospital at Dairout and one death there. One plague case was cured at Simbelkawa.

**THE KHEDIVE.**

**INTERESTING INTERVIEW.**

(Gazette's special service.) London, Thursday. The Cairo correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" has sent a long and interesting account of an interview with the Khedive. His Highness said that he was thoroughly satisfied and gratified with the progress that Egypt was making and that he was convinced that he and his advisers were treading in the right path. The Khedive, however, added that much remained still to be done. His people were dependent on their agricultural labour and as long as the chief produce of the country was cotton and the present prices were maintained, the prosperity of the country must inevitably go on increasing, as the area under cultivation was ever widening. The Khedive expressed his delight at the return of Sir Eldon Gorst to Egypt and remarked on the sympathetic and enlightened interest which he took in the country. In referring to education he said that he was proud of the progress the Egyptians were making in this direction. The Khedive remarked that he deeply deplored the tendency of a few young Egyptians to seek self-advertisement rather than the improvement of their country by legitimate means. He was delighted, however, that all agitation was dying out and he emphasised the entire absence of fanaticism. Referring to the Sudan his Highness declared that he had every confidence in the Sirdar and his staff and was gratified at the very material progress made during the last few years. In concluding the interview the Khedive declared that he would be delighted if Lord Cromer were to revisit Egypt.

**DISTRESS IN INDIA.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. The Governor-General of India reports that rain is urgently needed. Everywhere distress is increasing owing to scarcity and the higher prices.

**THE WEATHER AT HOME.**

(Gazette's special service.) London, Wednesday. The weather is intensely cold throughout England and skating is expected to be possible shortly.

**LORD KITCHENER G.C.E.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. The New Year honours are confined to the Indian list. Lord Kitchener has been created Knight Grand Commander of the Indian Empire.

**THE KHEDIVE.**

The Khedive left Sidi Abdul Rahman yesterday morning and came by the Mariout line to Amrieh where he slept last night. Today his Highness has gone to Hamman to inspect his condensers and will return to Monassah this evening. The Khedive will return to Cairo on Saturday.

**SHOUBRA ENGLISH SCHOOL.**

Lady Gorst was present on Monday afternoon at the juvenile operetta "Queen Bee" which was performed by the children of the Shoubra English School, Cairo, and afterwards distributed the prizes to the successful scholars of last year. These prizes should have been distributed in June last, but sufficient accommodation being at that time unavailable it was decided to postpone the event until the school had been completed. The operetta was charmingly performed, Miss Marjorie Flowers playing the part of Huzzy remarkably well and little Miss Aldred also did full justice to the part of Buzz. Master Aitkin headed the list of prize winners with four prizes. Master Mo Phee coming next with three. After a distribution of sweets and presents from a Christmas tree the children were entertained to tea by Mrs. Foon, who had also supplied the prizes, and the Christmas three, the ladies of the choir and congregation of All Saints Church assisting at the table.

**CAIRO SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.**

The sixty-seventh meeting of the Society will be held at the School of Medicine, Kasr-el-Aini, this afternoon when the President will move the following resolution:—"That the annual subscription of the Society be increased to P.T. 120 to cover the cost of publication of the proceedings of the Society" after which the election of sub-committee for Arabic education will take place. Dr. W. H. Wilson, will give a demonstration of a scheme for showing the mechanical factors of the circulation. On Friday next the members of the society are invited to inspect the Helicon Observatory, by invitation of Mr. B. F. E. Keeling. The train leaves Bab-el-Loak station at 2.15.

**THE VIBORG MANIFESTO.**

**DUMA MEMBERS SENTENCED.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. The trial of the members of the first Duma who circulated the Viborg manifesto has concluded. 167 deputies have been sentenced to three months' imprisonment and the loss of political rights.

**KAID MACLEAN'S RELEASE.**

(Gazette's special service.) London, Tuesday. The "Globe" publishes a letter from Kaid Maclean to Messrs. Greener, gunmakers, stating that he hopes to be released this week.

**SCOTTISH RAILWAYS.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. A working arrangement between the North British and Caledonian Railways is announced in relation to competitive traffic.

**OBITUARY.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. Mr. Detroux, Belgian Premier, is dead.

**THE CHOLERA EPIDEMIC.**

**THE PROTECTION OF EGYPT.**

The following is a translation of a notice issued by the Quarantine Board:— Shipping agents, ships captains, and pilgrims are informed that on the return from the Hedjas they will only be allowed to take provisions from the Tor encampment, and that it is forbidden, in the most categorical manner, to take provisions either from Suez or from Port Said. The Quarantine Board has made an agreement with the Clayton Gas Company of Egypt and the Sudan Ltd., for the disinfection of steamers frequenting the ports of Alexandria, Port Said, Suez and Tor. The Company is now engaged in pushing ahead the work of installing the various plants in those ports. In view of the recent rumours of trouble in the Levant as to cholera this effective and remedial measure is well-timed and the Quarantine Board is to be congratulated on having adopted the best possible methods of disinfection.

**THE NEW YEAR.**

The New Year has been ushered in at Alexandria in a right royal manner. There were many family and friendly gatherings to "ring out the old, ring in the new," and the sentiment attached to the season was sustained in true Christian like spirit. Hands were clasped that had been withheld during the year, and friendships were master of the ceremonies. Those who are condemned to a life of solitude and were not invited to join some family gathering made little parties among themselves and spent the eve and, in many cases, the first evening of the New Year, in public places. The hotels were quite busy. At the Savoy Palace sumptuous dinners were served on both nights, and the other hotels were equally liberal with their fare. We cannot omit a mention of our German friends, many of whom assembled in the "Germania" and around a wonderfully modelled "Prova" and heavily decorated Christmas tree, both electrically lighted, joined hands to welcome the arrival of 1908. May it be a more prosperous one than 1907 was the warmly expressed wish of one and all, and it is such a wish that we send far and wide to reach the thousands who will read these few lines.

**PIGS IN EGYPT.**

Last week a large consignment of pigs arrived at Alexandria from Servia, Bulgaria, Crete and Cyprus. On previous occasions the pigs have solely arrived here from Rhodes and Cyprus. The Bulgarian pigs have been admitted to free practice here by the Quarantine authorities. But the Servian pigs, which are of very distinguished appearance, reminding one of our best home-bred, have been kept in quarantine and will be killed in the course of the next few days at the slaughterhouse at Alexandria. The Crete pigs are fairly good. The total arrivals of pigs last week at Alexandria were over six hundred. It is not, however, to be expected that pork will be any the cheaper, for butchers' prices in this country always go up, just as do the rents, despite the crisis. Up to date over 250,000 sheep have arrived at Alexandria from various sources since the beginning of the year, which is largely over the imports for any previous year, and yet the price of mutton never goes down, but on the contrary shows an upward tendency.

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**LONDON BANK RATE.**

**PROSPECT OF BEING LOWERED.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Tuesday. The Bank of England has secured a large quantity of gold. If the influx continues the bank rate may possibly be lowered on Thursday.

**MACEDONIAN REFORM.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. Ambassadors firmly insist on the renewal for seven years of the powers of agents in Macedonia and have rejected the proposal that the agents be paid by Turkey as this would destroy their independence.

**VALUABLE POPYRUS DISCOVERY.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Wednesday. Lang Fraser, the well known Detroit capitalist and art connoisseur, confirms the authenticity of the reported discovery in Egypt of valuable ancient papyrus, which will enable important additions to be made to Biblical lore.

(Further particulars of this discovery will be found in our leader on Page 2, Ed. E.G.)

**THE PERSIAN SITUATION.**

(Gazette's Special Service.) London, Tuesday. Troubles are brewing in northern Persia. The importation of arms is increasing.

**CHRISTMAS AT PORT SUDAN.**

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) Port Sudan, December 26. A smoking concert was held on Christmas Eve in the band room of the new barracks, which was splendidly decorated for the occasion with flags and bunting and made an excellent room for the concert. The chair was taken by Kaimetan W. B. Drury Bay. Needless to say the concert was a decided success, and among the many who volunteered to perform was Mr. Buxton, who related a few of his experiences and many witty tales, while Mr. Hamer sang and Mr. Koop played the violin. Mr. Pool's songs were appreciated by all present, and many encores were called for. Although it rained very hard just before the start most of the English population decided to brave the elements and turned up. The concert finished up at 12.30 a.m. with the Khedivial Anthem, and "God save the King," after which three cheers were given for the chairman. On Christmas Day, service was held in the church, which had been splendidly decorated. The Rev. Thom officiated and many people were present. On this day most of the houses and the ships in harbour were decked out with bunting, the S.S. "Prince Abbas" making an especially fine display.

**FREGOLI.**

Fregoli!—The very name carries with it an air of wonderment and mystery, and ever since Alexandrians awoke one fine morning to find the weird name on every other paving stone, Fregoli has haunted them. It is now hardly necessary to describe who or what Fregoli is, but sufficient to voice the opinion of all who have witnessed his performance at the Alhambra Theatre, as marvellous. His versatility is illimitable, his portrayal of various characters never ending, and the perfection of his lighting changes combined with accurate attention to every detail, even to deflexions of voice, of every character he represents, stamp him as an artist of the first water.

With a continual change of programme he does not tire his audience with repetitions, and although one may have seen a previous performance, a second visit is not only advisable, but almost a necessity to realise his capabilities. One may see him as a conductor improvising past and present lights of the musical world, and yet have no idea what he can do as a magician à la Maskelyne and Devant, or sit and revel in his Louis Fuller serpentine dance, and then not realise the perfection of his one-man-six-character representation of "Faustino." It is almost impossible to detail even one of his performances, we would rather criticise a whole opera company, than attempt it, but one thing we must individualise; the continual strain, and it must be excessive, of running a one-man entertainment is having its effect upon Fregoli's voice, as at our last visit a distinct and painful hoarseness was noticeable at every breath. We, however, trust this is only a temporary indisposition, and that he will continue to delight crowded houses during the remainder of his stay at the Alhambra.

**STEAMER MOVEMENTS.**

The Papeyean liner "Fahlan" sailed yesterday for Liverpool with 4319 bales of cotton.

**PARIS-GENEVA HOUSE.**

Mrs. Auberge is exhibiting her models at the Hotel Villa Victoria, Cairo.

**PORT SAID STRIKE.**

**A SERIOUS SITUATION.**

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) Port Said, Tuesday. The first batch of 200 blacklegs arrived here last night from Cairo and up country. It was rumoured that these men were due to arrive on Sunday afternoon and that several hundred strikers armed with sticks awaited their arrival, intending to give them a warm welcome. On their arrival yesterday, however, everything was quiet; they were met and escorted, to the harbour by the mounted police from Cairo. Special accommodation has had to be built on the east side of the canal, while some firms have built covers to lighters and have housed their there. Referring to my notes of Sunday, my statement that the Arabs are not underpaid is fully confirmed by the fact that Europeans are offering themselves for the same work and pay. There have been several disturbances in the Arab village more or less serious and last night I understand a store house was broken into and ransacked. It is difficult to obtain official information as no one, European or native, is allowed in or out of the Arab village without a special permit, while the Port Said police have handed over the patrolling of the village to the Cairo drafts.

**SOCIETE DES CONCERTS.**

Last Sunday's programme was perfect, almost too perfect. It was one unbroken succession of all that appealed to emotion, intellect, and mood; first came the Gluck, Iphigenia, solemn vivid clear out and graceful as a Greek statue, then the Handel concerto, archaic, rather, architectural, replete with the symbolism of a Gothic cathedral; who can forget the grave sorrow of those minor notes closing a passage, or the high dignity of the ending, determinate and faultless, the delicacy and strength of the movement, of every note. And then the death of Isolda, the crowning wonder of all that love had known, hoped, regretted, remembered, as the long years crystallised golden moments, lingering, until those great mist of passion annihilated all things. The fitting contrast, reaction—and how one craves for a reaction after Tristan and Isolda!—was the Peer Gynt, that weird travelled phantasm, from Morocco to the mountains of the North, dawn, the hero's death, the eastern dance, and the revel of the gnomes about the spiers of the mountains:—after this the Tchaikowsky march, showing Napoleon in retreat, Russia triumphant, barbaric, outrageous as children at a fair, and, through it all, the wind shrieking to the bleak snow under dark stripped trees. The performance was, all through, distinctly adequate. The orchestra is really excellent: such slight hesitations as occurred were unmistakably due to the insufficiency of the rehearsal, inevitable when we think what a quantity of work the opera orchestra has, the whole week through. One had to take exception to the conducting in parts: that, I think, is chiefly due to temperament; for example, in the Tristan and Isolda, M. Baron hardly realised the full atmosphere, the resonant magic of the music: in the Grieg, he was inclined to monotony, he could not attain the almost elfish and rhythm of the far North.

The March he did well: Tchaikowsky suits him, as do Gluck and Handel. One did wish for the old open keyless trumpets, the viol de Gamba, all those instruments for which Gluck wrote, and which would have brought out the clear purity of the music: modern instruments seem to stifle it. M. Vallette sang Saint-Saëns Henry VIII air: it does not suit his voice: it is too mournful, and he introduced an unnecessary tremolo, he is essentially a dramatic, rather than a concert singer. I must praise the excellence of some of the instruments, the horns all through, the violins in Tristan, and the basses in the Tchaikowsky. Altogether it was a most impressive programme and well given.

**SHEPHERD'S HOTEL CAIRO.**

The small dance which is held weekly at Shepherd's Hotel, Cairo, falling on New Year's eve, there was an exceptionally large attendance on Tuesday evening, the halls and corridors being thronged with visitors from an early hour in the evening. The orchestra was repeatedly called upon for encores, and it lasted but a few minutes to midnight when the last dance before supper was finished. As the old year is passing gave place to the new the big gang rang out the strokes of the hour, and immediately an army of waiters appeared, bearing trays of steaming punch, while others bore a goodly supply of dough-nuts.

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**PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.**

The Earl and Countess of Cromer will remain in Scotland until the middle of January when they will return to London.

Baron and Baroness Knoop have arrived at the "Al Hayat," Helouan, where they have taken a suite of rooms and will remain all the winter. Amongst other arrivals are: Baron von der Lancken, Mrs. Irene Harvey, Mr. R. H. Sheppard, Comtesse de Skarzinaka, and M. de Castro.

The arrivals at the Luxor Winter Palace yesterday included Baron Descomps, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas William and family, Mr. and Mrs. Daveson and family, Col. and Mrs. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Nagelmakers, and Mr. and Mrs. Dalziel.

Mr. H. R. Mansfield, M.P., has returned to England from his Egyptian tour much improved in health.

Mr. John Louis Behrend, who left Alexandria for London in the spring after two years' residence here, was admitted yesterday as a partner in the firm of B. & D. Behrend, of 27 St. Mary Axe, E.C. Mr. John Lewis Behrend is the nephew of Mr. Sigismund Behrend, the well-known Alexandrian merchant.

Referring to the paragraph in our issue of the 30th ult. we should have said that Miss G. M. Carver at the request of Mrs. Sidney Carver made the usual collection enabling Mr. Rudolph to provide a Christmas dinner for all the poor under his care.

**VISITORS LIST.**

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MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

THE KAISER INTERVIEWED.

HIS VISIT TO ENGLAND. THE HAPPY COUNTRY. London, December 31. Mr. Edward Diney publishes in the "Empire Review" an interview with the Emperor William. His Majesty said that as the eldest grandson of Queen Victoria, to whom he was deeply attached, he felt most keenly that he had been regarded in England as hostile to Great Britain.

ITALY AND AUSTRIA.

Rome, January 2. Signor Tittoni and Baron d'Aehrenthal exchanged the most cordial telegrams hoping the New Year would draw still closer the happy relations between the two countries. (Reuter)

BOMB IN BARCELONA.

BARCELONA, January 1. A bomb thrown in the streets has killed two people. (Havas)

THE COTTON STRIKE.

MANCHESTER, January 1. In view of the continued refusal of employers to yield, the cotton operatives have decided to add a fourth mill to the strike list bringing up the total of idle hands to 2000. (Reuter)

THE HARDEN CASE.

BERLIN, January 1. The Harden case is drawing to its close. The prosecution contended that Harden did not produce a shred of evidence against Molke and Ealenberg. He demanded four months imprisonment and payment of the costs of both trials. (Reuter)

THE FRENCH BUDGET.

PARIS, January 1. The Senate and the Chamber have finally passed the budget. (Reuter)

NUNCIO IN BELGIUM.

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 1. Archbishop Taqui, Apostolic Delegate here, has been appointed Nuncio in Belgium. (Reuter)

A DECREASED REVENUE.

LONDON, January 1. The revenue for the nine months shows a decrease of £272,692 and for the past quarter a decrease of £1,155,182. (Reuter)

THE AMERICAN NAVY.

LONDON, January 1. The "Morning Post" learns from Washington that heavy shipments of ammunition and torpedoes are being despatched to the Philippines. By the time the fleet arrives, there will be a 5 years' supply. (Reuter)

"TIMES" CORRESPONDENT ATTACKED.

LONDON, January 1. Mr. Fraser, the "Times" correspondent, who was proceeding to Bagdad unescorted, has been attacked, robbed and wounded by the Kurds near Ufa. Troops are pursuing the assailants on energetic representations made by Sir N. O'Connor. (Reuter)

THE DUCHESS OF AOSTA.

ROME, January 2. On the occasion of the New Year's parliamentary reception, the King referred to the way the Egyptian climate had improved the Duchess of Aosta's health. (Reuter)

OBITUARY.

BRUSSELS, January 1. The Premier, M. de Trooz, died yesterday evening. (Reuter)

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(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

London, December. The Money Market. The monetary stringency (which generally makes itself felt at this period of the year) has begun to assert itself, and there is an eager demand for accommodation to carry over to the end of the year. During the earlier part of the week the rate for day to day money was as high as 6 1/2 per cent, and a large sum was secured from the Bank in loans and discounts at 7 1/2 and 7 per cent respectively. Berlin was a large buyer of the open market, in fact, it is rumoured, that the entire amount has gone to Germany, in which case it should arrive there in time to relieve the pressure which was otherwise expected at the end of the year. A further amount of £1,800,000 of Treasury Bills has been tendered for, for which there was keen competition, the applications reaching a total of £3,585,000.

Silver. Some buying for India has caused a sharp rally in the price of silver, which advanced to 24 1/2 per ounce for immediate, and 24 15/16 for forward delivery. Towards the close the tone was a little dull, owing to the fact that buying orders sagged off, and that the Eastern markets will of course be closed for the Christmas holidays. The Stock Markets. The firm tone with which the week has commenced has caused some surprise, prices have not advanced to any extent, but there is a steady and growing demand for investment stocks. Consols have been a firm market, but have shed a 1/4 on account of the demand for gold for Germany.

ARMY AND NAVY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) London, December 21. The Mediterranean Fleet will return to Malta from its cruise the 25th January. The new chief engine room officer of the battleship "Inflexible," Engineer Commander Fred Hore has been in the service since January, 1893, and he was promoted commander in 1902. Engineer Commander R.J. Drake, who has been appointed to the cruiser "Janet" joined in July, 1894, was promoted commander in 1903, and saw service in the expedition against the Sultan of Witu, 1890, on which occasion he was engineer lieutenant of the cruiser "Bardiac," and was in mechanical charge of the boats which proceeded to destroy the village of Mkonumbi (with Witu clasp) and he was engineer of the gunboat Sparrow at the bombardment of the palace of the Sultan of Zambar, 1894, by Sir Harry Rawson's Squadron.

The old sloop "Algerine," which has been swinging for a long time at her moorings in Hongkong harbour, is to be commissioned with a crew of 108 of all ranks for services on the West Coast of America. It is just ten years ago since she passed through the Mediterranean and the Suez Canal to her present station. The "Phoenix," her sister sloop, which accompanied her on that occasion, was completely wrecked and driven ashore in the typhoon at Hongkong on the 16th October, 1906.

The command of the 3rd Battalion King's Royal Rifle Corps, Aldershot, and orders for Crete falls vacant a little earlier than it would have by the selection of Colonel C.R.R. Mc Grigor, C.B., for staff service. In the ordinary course he would have completed four years in command on the 24th prox. The step should go to Major R.S. Oxley, second in command of the 1st Battalion at Cairo.

As has been already intimated in these notes the Army Council have decided to adopt a longer bayonet than the regulation one in use, and to that end a modification of the Japanese bayonet, which did good work in the Far Eastern struggle is to be manufactured for use with the short magazine rifle. The new weapon is much longer than the existing one as long as the old Martini Henry rifle bayonet, triangular in formation, and tapered to a keen point in order to obviate top-boavides. It will be case in a leather scabbard, with black steel tip, and the fixing on will be done as in the present bayonet. The long bayonet will give the soldier a better reach in close fighting and in irregular fighting such as often occurs on the frontier of the Empire.

The prospect of a new issue of Peruvian Stock, was not very cheerfully received by the market and a large quantity of selling orders brought the price down. The Debentures dropped 2 1/2 to 95 1/2, the Preference 2 1/2 to 90 1/2 and the Ordinary 1/2 to 7 1/2. International stocks were steady, but Paris selling caused Russian Bonds to relapse slightly.

The Mining Markets. The Mining carry over, coming immediately after the Christmas holidays as it does, has been the means of reducing the amount of business in this department, although there has not been the stagnation that many members looked for. Some interest was infused into the Kafir Cirena by Paris buying Rand Mines, and the slight improvement in the leading speculative issues was partly due to dealings in connection with end of the year options which matured on Monday. The following particulars of dividends declared by forty six Rand Companies to date, this year, may be of interest. The total amount aggregated £6,962,500 an increase of £1,396,500 compared with 1906, when there were 39 companies declaring dividends. The outside district gold mines yielded £169,169, so that the grand aggregate is £7,131,600. Rand dividends represent 26 per cent, of the output and 5s 2d per acre-ign. yielded.

Business was not brisk in the Copper Group, but an improvement was noted; this was undoubtedly due to the rise in the price of the metal which latter put on £1 to £60 15 0. per ton on account of some "bear" covering. Egyptians. There has been little business in Egyptians during the current week and prices with one or two exceptions are as quoted last week. Daira Sanieh have advanced 1/2 to 12 1/2 1/8. Delta Lands have shed 1/4 to 1 1/4. Land Bank of Egypt have sagged a little to 7 1/2 1/8. The contract which has been given to the Cleveland Bridge and Engineering Company Limited for a combined road and Railway bridge to be built across the Blue Nile at Khartoum, has created a rather favourable impression here. The length of the waterway to be crossed is not less than 1,700 ft, and the work is destined to play an important part in the development of the Lower Sudan, inasmuch that whilst permitting of the further southward extension of the Sudan railway

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#### FIRST WINTER MEETING.

##### FIRST DAY.

The New Year opened well from the racing point of view: let us hope that everything else will start as satisfactorily. The day was warm and genial, the unpleasant winds of the last few days having kindly left us in peace. There was quite a large gathering of spectators to witness the afternoon's sport. The finishes were not quite so close, with the exception of two races, as those of the last meeting, but we saw better horses this meeting. The first race, the Nile, was won by a short head, Jenkins just managing in the last stride to get him home. It looked at one time, as if Roland must win, and was the closest finish we have seen for many a day. In the Delta stakes Aunelus won easily, but Jap who was second ran well and has a great stride. Carlton's performance was disappointing, Jenkins again was the winning jockey. We heartily congratulate Mr. Eyre on winning the steeplechase on his own horse Hector, who had been previously beaten by most of the other horses in hurdle races and this time was evidently ridden with great judgment. Chalonier had a spill Mercury coming down at the water jump, and Boner's horse pecked badly at the next jump, putting him down. In the Cairo Derby Jenkins rode a great race on Mulberry, his third win in the day. Iron Sand made a great effort to win, Jenkins only just managing to keep in front. For the Breeders Stakes Eua won comfortably, Jean d'Arc second and Firefly pulling up lame third. In the last race Mleyhan won easily, it is a pity he had not something better to race against—as he was barely extended to win. He galloped in excellent style and we wish his sporting owners luck with him. Boner, the jockey, has unfortunately broken his collar bone, and Thompson was a good deal knocked about when Shendi came down. We regret to say Shendi was so much injured that he had to be shot. We must not forget to congratulate the handicappers, Bakri Bey and Mr. Fried on their excellent handicapping. Also we include Mr. Schreiber in our congratulations on his winning the big race, the Cairo Derby.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

Perfect weather, glorious sunshine and no wind, greeted the New Year and attracted most people to Ghezireh, the only drawback to a most successful meeting being the accident to Thompson in the Cairo Derby. The bulk of spectators never realized at the first that anything untoward had happened, for the accident occurred far away from the stand, and it was not until anxious towards, police and others began hurrying down the course that one realized that anything was wrong. Eventually the injured man was carried off the ground on a stretcher. Such things always cast a gloom over an afternoon, but on this occasion luckily the injuries were said not to be really serious, and the events of the programme were resumed soon afterwards. The attendance was excellent. Lady Gurst was there in a pretty gown of biscuit coloured cloth with a quantity of silk braid lace about the shoulder. Lady Valda Mächel was also present and the Count von Bernstorff and his daughter, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Holdings with Miss Holdings in a smart grey tailor frock, her hair no longer down her back. General and Mrs. Bullock attended the meeting; it is her first appearance since her illness, and it was also the first appearance of Mrs. Dunbar, whom we all remember as Miss Hurley. Her marriage to Capt. Dunbar, who was A.D.C. to General Bullock last season, only took place in Paris a week or so ago; and they are spending the next few weeks with Mrs. Dunbar's sister, Mrs. Schreiber, whose wedding took place just about year ago.

It is not often that Maitre Carton de Wiart is seen in the enclosure; but on this occasion he was noticed with his small son and nephew, who are spending their holiday in Cairo. It was the first visit to Ghezireh of Mrs. Irene Hervey who had journeyed up from Helwan with Mr. R. Sharard to see how we managed such things in Egypt. She is a great horsewoman herself and has ridden in almost every country in the world and upon every type of animal. Sir John and Lady Rogers were present, the latter wearing a very pretty frock of blue and white striped tulle with lace sleeves. Mrs. Morgan's velvet coat with ermine collar etc. was charming in conjunction with the trim white skirt. Mrs. Appleton's frock of a pale blue cloth was as becoming as it could be. Princess Irene Dulsep Singh were in the stand with Mrs. and Miss de B. Carey and their friends, Mrs. and Miss Shakoor was also noticed not far off. Among others distinguished in the crowd were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Delglish, the Misses Coles, Dr. Tribe, Mrs. and Miss Schreiber, Mrs. and Mr. Rafferty, Mrs. and Miss Devonshire, Judge and Miss Tuck, Mr. S. de Bilinski, Mr. Ghunter, Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Carter Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Teale, and Mr. and Mrs. Kershaw.

#### FIRST RACE, 2 p.m.

THE KOURNEN HANDICAP. Value L.E. 40, 2nd horse to receive L.E. 2, if four or more start, and 3rd horse L.E. 2, if six or more start, out of the stakes. For Arab ponies. Distance round the course. Entrance L.E. 2.

H.E. Khalil Pasha Khayat's c.h.a. Soluk a 10.4 (Jenkins). 1.  
 Mr. E. Bustror's Roland a 10.5 (Fenwick). 2.  
 H.E. Moharram Pasha Chehina g.a.p. a. Abou Nadara 11.0 (Hussan Suliman). 3.  
 Mr. F. W. Tyndell's g.a.h. Boufaya 2.7.7 Galley. 0.  
 Messrs Malony and Hoy's g.a.h. Jubilee a 3.0. Burnham. 0.

Labak Bey Hussein's g.a.h. Padghan a 10.2 Stillwell. 0.  
 Mr. A. E. Drisch's g.a.h. Newag a 8.13 Digby. 0.  
 Mr. A. Schreiber's Atiangak a 8.12 Lambe. 0.  
 H.E. Khalil Pasha Khayat's c.h.a. Douglas a 9.12 Lawrence. 0.

A good start, Padghan went to the front place seemed slow, Padghan lay second, then Douglas joined Soluk horses were practically all together at the far corner. Abou Nadara made ground at the turn. Roland, Soluk and Abou Nadara were first round the turn for home, Roland looked like winning a furlong from home. Jenkins riding a strong race won by a head. Length between 2nd and third. An excellent race.

Time 2 min. 25 1/2 sec.  
 Totalisator paid, winner P.T. 50, Places 40, 35, 35.

#### SECOND RACE, 2.30 p.m.

THE DELTA STAKES. Value L.E. 65, 2nd horse to receive L.E. 10, and 3rd horse L.E. 5, out of the stakes. For Class I. Weight for age with penalties. Distance 1 mile, 1 furlong. Entrance L.E. 4 on December 14th. 4 entries in separate interests or race declared void.

H.E. Khalil Pasha Khayat's A-reiter, (3-41-12) Jenkins 1.  
 H.E. Moharram Pasha Chehina's Jap. (3) 9.0 Digby. 2.  
 Saleh Bey Yaghen's c.a.h. Carlton, 12.0 Fields 3.  
 Baron de Menasse's Bengali 9.8. 0.

Aurelius led off, Carlton second, Carlton and Aurelius ran together, Jap made up ground before the bend for home and seemed to be going strong, but fell away in the straight Aurelius winning easily. Time 1 min. 59 sec.  
 Pari Mutuel paid, Winner P.T. 31, Places 21, 22.

#### THIRD RACE, 3 p.m.

THE KHEDIVAL STEEPLECHASE. Value L.E. 50, 2nd horse to receive L.E. 7 and 3rd horse L.E. 3, out of the stakes. For Arabs that have never won L.E. 20 on the flat over hurdles or steeplechase. Weight for age and inches, 14-1 and over to carry 12 stone. Entrances on 14th December L.E. 2. Distance about 9 miles.

Mr. Eyre, g.a.h. Hector, 12.0 Owner. 1.  
 Major Prothero Smith's, Petrona, 11.6 Mr. Seymour. 2.  
 Capt. Seigh's, b.a.h. Chater, 11.6 Owner. 3.  
 Mr. O. Sullivan's g.a.h. Speculation, Mr. Goodchild. 0.  
 Mr. A. J. Michaelides, Mercury, Chalonier, 0.  
 Chater led off, the rest in a bunch behind. Hector then took the lead. Petrona lying second. Chater then took second place Hector first over the water jump, Mercury fell dropping his hind legs in the water. Hector still leading. D'four put his jockey down and Petrona took the lead, Chater and Hector close up. Petrona was first into the straight, then Petrona who had been nursed before the turn for home came through his field. Mr. Eyre riding with great judgement won by 1 1/2 lengths length between second and third.

Pari Mutuel Paid, Winner 175 P.T. Places 177, 31, 23.

#### FOURTH RACE, 3.30 p.m.

THE CAIRO DERBY. Value L.E. 200, 2nd horse to receive L.E. 40 and 3rd horse L.E. 20, out of the stakes. For Maidens Arabs (Maidens at nomination, weight for age with penalties. Horses that have never run prior to this Meeting allowed 7 lbs. Distance 1 mile. Entry on November 1st, 1907. L.E. 5, or December 14th, 1907. L.E. 10.

Mr. A. Schreiber's c.h.a.h. Mulberry a 10.7. (Jenkins). 1.  
 Omar Bey Sultan's Iron Sand 5 9.12 (Digby). 2.  
 Messrs A. J. Surock's b.a.h. Memnon 10.7. (Chalonier). 3.  
 Ibrahim Bey Cherif's b.a.h. Shendi a 10.7. 0.  
 H.E. Moharram Pasha Chehina and Ahmed Effendi Ibiash's g.a.h. Obeyan II, a 10.7. 0.  
 Messrs A. J. Surock's b.a.h. Pan, a 10.7. 0.  
 Saleh Bey Yaghen's Prio Fron, a 10.7. 0.  
 " " " " India, a 10.7. 0.  
 " " " " g.a.g. Maboou, a 10.7. 0.  
 Mr. A. P. Evans' Pares, a 10.7. 0.  
 N. Surock's Paines Noir, a 10.7. 0.  
 Highland Kali's Achille, a 10.7. 0.

Pan led off, the field all bunched together at the far corner pretty race to watch, Mulberry took the lead just before the turn taking inside course Iron sand made a great effort but failed to catch Mulberry. Jenkins rode an excellent race and won by a short neck. Shendi came down at the turn riding into another pony hind legs. Time 1 min 57 sec.  
 Pari Mutuel Paid Winner 75 P.T. Places 51, 48, 121.

#### FIFTH RACE, 4 p.m.

THE BREEDERS STAKES. Value L.E. 150, presented by the Egyptian Government For E.C.B.'s Maidens in Classes II and III. Weight for age and Class. Distance 1 mile. Two thirds of entrance fees to go to 2nd horse and one third to the 3rd horse. Entrances on 14th Dec. L.E. 5. Six Entries in separate interests or race declared void.

H.E. Khalil Pasha Khayat's Eua. 2.10.4. Digby. 1.  
 Moharram Pasha Chehina. Jean d'Arc. 2.8.11. 2.  
 Mr. Hunter's Firefly 4.9.0. Chalonier. 3.  
 Omar Bey Sultan's g.m.o. Valley 7.4. Galley. 0.  
 Firefly led off to far corner followed by Jean d'Arc. Half way up the hill Eua came through his field and maintaining his lead won by 9 lengths 3 or 4 length between 2nd and third.

Firefly pulled up lame. Time 1 min. 50 sec.  
 Pari Mutuel paid, Winner 65, Places 37, 25.

#### SIXTH RACE, 4.50 p.m.

AMATEUR TRIAL PLATE. Value L.E. 20, 2nd horse to receive L.E. 7 and 3rd horse L.E. 3, out of the stakes. For Arab horses, Galloways and ponies that have never won L.E. 15, at any one time either on the flat, over hurdles, or steeplechasing in either open or closed races, the property of British Members of E.C.B. Weight for age and inches, 14-1 and over to

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 Mr. Carmichael (14) beat Lieut. Hewitt (7) by 6 and 5.  
 Mr. E. Perkins (12) beat Capt. Evans (7) by 2 and 1.  
 Mr. J. B. Clarke (4) beat Mr. J. A. Scott (6) by 2 and 1.  
 Mr. R. L. Barnard (10) beat Mr. A. R. Yielding (16) by 6 and 3.  
 Mr. W. E. Pool (9) beat Mr. T. C. Macanay (12) by 2 and 1.  
 Mr. J. P. Barrill (2) beat Lieut. Simpson (10) by 6 and 4.  
 Capt. Byrne (7) beat Mr. J. H. Percival (7) by 3 and 2.  
 Mr. T. S. Richmond (10) beat Mr. G. Gilbert-Smith (16) by 4 and 3.  
 Mr. A. H. Reid (9) walk over.—Lieut. Hanley scratched.  
 Mr. C. Robertson (6) beat Lieut. Adams (10) by 4 and 3.  
 Mr. F. W. Skates (12) beat Lieut. Geoghegan (10) by 2 and 1.  
 Mr. E. V. Wellings (10) beat Lieut. Ferguson (16) by 2 holes.  
 Mr. N. Munro Kerr (8) beat Mr. E. Ferguson (scr.) at the 19th hole, after a tie.  
 Mr. Stator (7) beat Mr. R. E. Sheehan (16) by 6 and 5.  
 Mr. J. E. Cornish, Senr. (14) beat Capt. Blackett (16) by 5 and 2.

The second round, which is now being played, must be completed before January 25th. Owing to the stormy weather and the numerous demands on the polo field for other games at this season, it was found impossible to adhere to the original date.

### NILE TOURISTS.

The following passengers left Cairo on Monday by Cook's P.S. "Cleopatra":—

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A WONDERFUL CURE. "I took many medicines, but derived no benefit from them. Then I was recommended to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I took them I was a wasted, almost useless body, but after a few boxes of these wonderful pills I felt quite revived, and to-day I feel like a new woman. Through taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills my body was nourished by new, warm blood, my limbs grew strong, my appetite became good, and I could digest my food properly. I became quite strong again. Hundreds of customers come into my shop, and I never fail to tell them of the benefits I have derived from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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L'Administration a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du Public qu'à partir du 1er Janvier 1908, le bureau télégraphique de Gabbari sera transféré à un bâtiment situé près du hangar des marchandises à l'arrivée vis-à-vis du bureau de surveillance.

Le Caire, le 31 Décembre 1907. 31646-2-1

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Municipalite d'Alexandrie

AVIS

La Municipalite met en adjudication la fourniture de ciment necessaire a ses services pour l'annee 1908.

Le cautionnement est fixe a L.E. 30 (trente). Le cahier des charges est depose au bureau Technique ou il peut etre consulte par les interesses tous les jours de 9 h. a midi, les jours feries exceptes.

Les offres devront etre adressees sous pli cache a Monsieur l'Administrateur de la Municipalite avant le 14 Janvier 1908.

Elles pourront egalement etre deposees en sance de la Delegation le meme jour a 5 h. p.m.

L'enveloppe devra porter en outre la mention: "Soumission pour fourniture de Ciment."

Le cautionnement ou le reçu d'une banque, d'après les conditions du cahier des charges, devra être remis séparément au Service de la Comptabilité Générale avant l'ouverture des offres et au plus tard le 14 Janvier 1908 à midi.

Toute offre qui ne remplit pas les conditions ci-dessus sera écartée.

Alexandrie, le 30 Décembre 1907.

L'Administrateur (Signé) W.P. CHATAWAY.

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